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SYNTHETIC MAMMALIAN ALPHA-N-ACETYLGLUCOSAMINIDASE

AND GENETIC SEQUENCES ENCODING SAME

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. "1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. "1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate (Small Entity)	Addit. Fee	Rate (Large Entity)	Addit. Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS*	7	35	0	x 25 =	\$0.00	x 50 =	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	7	0	X100 =	\$0.00	x200 =	\$0.00
[] First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim				180.00		360.00	\$0.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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## RESPONSE INCLUDING AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 29, 2005, in connection with the above-referenced patent application, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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